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SUBJECT: FOREIGN MINISTER'S VIEWS US ASSISTANCE TO RWANDA

1. DURING MY CALL ON FOREIGN MINISTER NSEKALIJE PRIOR TO DEPARTURE COM CONFERENCE AND CONSULTATIONS, WE DISCUSSED GOR VIEWS US ASSISTANCE STRATEGY TO RWANDA. FYI: I HAD OUTLINED TENTATIVE US PROPOSALS FY 78-79 IN LETTER TO NSEKALIJE APR 28 AND RECEIVED A LENGTHY REPLY CRITICIZING US APPROACH ON MAY 2. END FYI.

2. NSEKALIJE NOTED US PREFERENCE FOR "MICRO" PROJECTS WHILE EXPRESSING LACK OF INTEREST IN LARGER-SCALE (I.E. MORE EXPENSIVE) DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES. HE SAID GOR DISAPPOINTED AT CONTINUING LOW-LEVEL US AID WHEN IT A PROVEN LONG TERM FRIEND OF US "MUCH MORE SO THAN ETHIOPIA, TANZANIA OR ZAIRE" BUT RECEIVING INCOMPARABLY LESS ASSISTANCE. AS EXAMPLE, HE ALLEGED US TRAINING 3 TO 400 LIBYANS AT US UNIVERSITIES WHILE NOT A SINGLE RWANDAN BENEFITS FROM US SCHOLARSHIPS. HE STRESSED NEED FOR GREATER COORDINATION, EXPRESSED CONCERN THAT PROJECTS OFTEN PRESENTED AS FAIT ACCOMPLI TO GOR AND THAT THEY NOT ALWAYS RESPONSIVE TO RWANDA'S HIGHEST DEVELOPMENT PRIORITY I.E. INFRASTRUCTURE.

3. NSEKALIJE INQUIRED AS TO WHEN ASST SEC SCHAUFLE WOULD
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VISIT RWANDA TO SEE DEVELOPMENT PROBLEMS FOR HIMSELF. I REPLIED THAT WHILE SCHAUFLE INTERESTED IN RENEWING RWANDAN CONTACTS, CURRENT NUMBER AFRICAN HOT-SPOTS REQUIRING HIS ATTENTION WOULD PROBABLY NOT PERMIT EARLY TRIP. FONMIN REITERATED GOR INVITATION TO SCHAUFLE WHICH HE SAID WOULD BE EXTENDED OFFICIALLY IN WRITING.
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